

Docket No.: 254519US6PCT

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

BRADLEY D. LYTLE (703) 412-6489 BLYTLE@OBLON.COM

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

RE: Application Serial No.: 10/501,082

Applicants: Yasushi KATAYAMA

Filing Date: July 9, 2004

For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS AND

METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM

Group Art Unit: 2146 Examiner: MUSA, A. O.

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Summary of Substance of Interview

Our online credit card payment in the amount of 0 is being made covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

Bradley D. Lytle

Registration No. 40,073

Customer Number

22850

(703) 413-3000 (phone) (703) 413-2220 (fax) I:\ATTY\UMP\25's\254519US\254519US COVER LTR SUB OF INT.DOC